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Technical Note No. 36, Understanding Grass Growth: The Key to Profitable Livestock Production relates how optimum grazing efficiency of perennial forage crops requires in-depth knowledge of how plants and animals interact.

Maintaining a balance between plant and animal requirements is difficult, but necessary. Therefore, grazing management must be designed with both plant growth and animal performance in mind.

File this in the Range section of the Technical Notes, Section VI of the Technical Guide.